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A Diſpatch, of which the following is a Copy, has been received from His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland by His Grace the Duke of Portland, His Majeſty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department.

Dublin Caſtle, June 8, 1798.

My Lord,

I AM to acquaint your Grace, that early this Morning Lieutenant-General Lake received an Expreſs from Major-General Johnſon, dated the 5th Inſtant, at New Roſs. The Major-General ſtates, that the Rebels had, on that Morning, attacked his Poſition at New Roſs, with a very numerous Force, and with great Impetuoſity; but that after a Conteſt of ſeveral Hours they were completely repulſed. The Loſs of the Rebels was prodigiouſly great. An Iron Gun on a Ship Carriage was taken, and late in the Evening they retreated entirely to Carrick Byrne, leaving ſeveral Iron Ship Guns, not mounted.

General Johnſon ſtates, that too much Praiſe cannot be given to the Forces under his Command; and that to Major-General Euſtace, and indeed to every Individual, he was in the higheſt Degree indebted for their ſpirited Exertions.

The Major-General ſeverely regrets the Loſs of that brave Officer Lord Mountjoy, who fell early in the Conteſt. A Return of Killed and Wounded of His Majeſty's Forces has not been received, but it appears not to have been conſiderable.

I have the Honor to be, &c. &c.

(Signed) CAMDEN.

His Grace the Duke of Portland,
&c. &c. &c.

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